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Appleton, April, 1st, 1863. 9-35y

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Appleton Dec 5th, 1863. H. H. LEE.

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Appleton April, 1863. 10-1y

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

[As most of our readers have seen the President's Message ere this, we present only that portion relative to the rebellion, including the Proclamation submitted by the President.—EDS. CRESCENT.]

When Congress assembled a year ago, the war had already lasted nearly twenty months, and there had been many conflicts on both land and sea with varyi results. The rebellion had been pressed back into reduced limits, yet the tone of public feeling and opinion at home and abroad was not satisfactory. With other signs, the popular elections, then just passed, indicated uneasiness among ourselves, while, amid much that was cold and menacing, the kindest words coming from Europe were uttered in accents of pity, that we were too blind to surrender our commerce, which was suffering greatly by a few armed vessels built upon and furnished from foreign shores. We were threatened with such additions from the same quarter as would sweep our trade from the sea, and raise our blockade. We had failed to elicit from European governments anything hopeful upon this subject The Emancipation Proclamation, which was issued in September, was running its assigned period to the beginning of the new year. A month later, the final Proclamation came, including the announcement that colored men of suitable condition would be received into the war service. The policy of emancipation and employing black soldiers gave to the future a new aspect, about which hope, and fear and doubt contended in uncertain conflict. According to our political system, as a matter of civil administration, the General Government had no lawful power to effect emancipation in any State, and for a long time it had been hoped that the rebellion could be suppressed without resorting to it as a military measure. It was all the while deemed possible that the necessity for it might come, and that if it should, the crisis of the contest would then be presented. It came, and, as was intended, it was followed by dark and doubtful days. Eleven months have been passed We are permitted to take another review. The rebel borders are pressed still further back, and by the complete opening of the Mississippi river, the country dominated over by the rebellion is divided into distant parts, with no practicable communication between them. Tennessee and Arkansas have been so substantially cleared of the insurgents and their control and influence, and the citizens in each, and the owners of slaves and advocates of slavery at the beginning of the rebellion, now declare openly for emancipation in their respective States. Of those States not included in the Emancipation Proclamation—Maryland and Missouri—neither of which years ago would tolerate any restraint upon the extension of slavery into the new territories, the only dispute now is as to the best mode of removing it within their own limits—Of those who were slaves at the beginning of the rebellion, fully one hundred thousand are now in the United States, military service, about one half of which number actually bear arms in ranks, thus giving the double advantage of taking so much labor from the insurgent cause and supplying the places which otherwise must be filled with so many white men So far as tested, it is difficult to say that they are not as good soldiers as any. No servile insurrection or tendency to violence or cruelty has marked the measures of emancipation, and arming the blacks. These measures have been much discussed in foreign countries, and contemporary with such discussion the tone of public sentiment there is much improved. At home the same measures have been fully discussed, supported, criticised and denounced, and the annual elections following are highly encouraging to those whose special duty it is to bear the country through this great trial!

Thus we have the reckoning. The crisis which threatened to divide the friends of the Union is past Looking now to the present and future, and with reference to a resumption of the national authority within the State wherein that authority has been suspended, I have thought fit to issue a proclamation, a copy of which is herewith transmitted. On examination of this proclamation, it will appear, as is believed amply justified by the Constitution. True, the form of an oath is given, but no man is coerced to take it. A man is only promised a pardon in case he voluntarily takes the oath the Constitution authoizes the Executives to grant, on such terms as are fully established by the judicial and other authorities.

It is also proffered that of many of the States named, a real Government shall be in the mode prescribed set up, and such Government shall be recognized and guaranteed by the United States, and that under it the State shall, under the Constitution, be protected against invasion and domestic violence. The constitutional obligation of the United States to guarantee to every State in the Union a republican form of Government and to protect the State, in the cases stated, is explicit and full; but why tender the benefits of this provision only to a State Government set up in this particular way? This section of the Constitution contemplates a case wherein the element within a State favorable to a republican government, in the Union, may be too feeble for an opposite and hostile element external to and even within the State, and such are precisely the cases with which we are now dealing An attempt to guarantee and protect a revised State government, constructed in whole, or a preponderating part, from the very element against whose hostility and violence it is to be protected, is simply absurd. There must be a test by which to seperate opposing elements, and that test is a sufficiently liberal one which accepts as sound whoever will make a sworn recantation of his former unsoundness, but if it be proper to require, as a test of admission to the political body, an oath of allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and to the Union under it, why not, and also to the laws and the proclamation in regard to slavery? These laws and proclamation were enacted and put forth for the purpose of aiding the supression of the rebellion. To give them their fullest effect, there had to be a pledged for their maintenance. In my judgment they have aided and will further the cause for which they were enlisted To give up this principle would be not only to relinquish a lever of power, but would also be a cruel and astounding breach of faith.

I may add, at this point, that while I remain in my present position, I shall not attempt to retract or modify the Emancipation Proclamation, nor shall I return to slavery any person who is free by the terms of the Proclamation, or by any act of Congress. For these and other reasons, it is thought best that the support of these persons shall be included in the oath, and it is believed the Executive may lawfully claim it in return for pardon and restoration of forfeited rights, which he has the clear constitutional power to withhold altogether, or grant upon the terms which he shall deem wisest for the public interest. It should be observed also that this part of the oath is subject to the modifying and abrogating power of legislation and supreme judicial decision. The proposed acquiescence of National Executive in any honorable temporary state or arrangement for the freed people, is made with the view of possibly modifying the confusion and destitution which must at best attend all classes, by a total revolution of labor throughout the whole State. It is hoped that the already deeply afflicted people in those States may be somewhat more ready to give up the cause of their affliction, and to this extent this vital matter is left to themselves, while no power of the National Executive to prevent an abuse is abridged by any proposition. The suggestion in the Proclamation as to the maintaining the political frame-work of the States, on what is called "reconstruction," is made in the hope that it may do good without the danger of harm. It will save labor, and avoid great confusion.

But why any proclamation now, upon this subject? This question is beset with the conflicting view that the step might be delayed too long, or be taken too soon. In some of the States the elements for resumption seem ready for action, but remain inactive, apparently, for want of a rallying point—a plan of action. Why shall A adopt the plan of B, rather than B that of A, and if A and B should agree, how can they know but the General Government here will respect their plan By the proclamation, a plan is presented, which may be accepted by them as a rallying point, and which they are assured in advance will not be rejected here. This may bring them to act sooner than they otherwise would. The objection of a premature presentation of a plan by the National Executive, consists in the danger of comments in points which could be more safely left to further developments. Care has been taken to so shape the document as to avoid embarassment from this source In saying that, on certain terms, certain classes will be pardoned, with their rights restored, it is not said that other classes, on other terms, will never be included. In saying a reconstruction will be accepted, if presented in a specified way, it is not said it will never be accepted in any other way.

The movements for emancipation in several of the States not included in the Emancipation Proclamation, are matters of profound gratification, and while I do not repeat in detail what I have heretofore so earnestly urged upon this subject, my general views and feelings remain unchanged, and I trust that Congress will omit no fair opportunity of aiding these important steps to the great consummation

In the midst of cares, however important, we must not lose sight of the fact that the war power is still our main reliance. To that power alone can we look, yet for a time, to give confidence to the people in contested regions, that the insurgent power will not again overrun them. Until that confidence shall be established, little can be done anywhere for what is called reconstruction. Hence our chief care must still be directed to our army and navy, who have thus borne their harder part so nobly and well; and it may be esteemed fortunate that, in giving the greatest efficiency to their indispensable arms, we do also honorably encourage gallant men, from commander to sentinel, who compose them, and to whom, more than all others, the world stands indebted for the home of freedom, disenthralled, regenerated, enlarged and perpetuated.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 8, 1863.

PROCLAMATION BY THE PRESIDENT.

WHEREAS, On and by the Constitution of the United States, it is provided that the President shall have power to grant reprieves and pardons for offenses against the United States, except in cases of impeachment; and whereas, a rebellion now exists, whereby the loyal States and governments of the several States have, for a long time been subverted, and many persons have committed and are now guilty of treason against the United States; and whereas, with reference to said rebellion and treason, laws have been enacted by Congress, calling for the forfeiture and confiscation of the property and the liberation of the slaves, all upon terms and conditions therein stated, and also declaring that the President, was thereby authorized, at any time thereafter, by proclamation, to extend to persons who may have participated in the existing rebellion in any state or part thereof, pardon and amnesty, with such exceptions and on such terms, and on such conditions as he may deem expedient for the public welfare; and whereas the Congressional declaration for limited and conditional pardon accords with well established judicial expositions of the pardoning power; and whereas, with reference to said rebellion, the President of the United States has issued several proclamations, with provisions in regard to slaves, and whereas it is now desired by some persons heretofore engaged in said rebellion to resume their allegiance to the United States and re-inaugurate loyal State governments within and for their respective States:

Therefore I, Abraham Lincoln, President of the United States, do proclaim, declare and make known to all persons who have, directly or by implication, participated in the present rebellion, except as hereinafter excepted, that a full pardon is granted to them and each of them, with restoration of all rights if third parties shall have intervened, and upon the condition that such persons shall take and subscribe to an oath, and thenceforward keep and maintain said oath inviolate, and which oath will be registered for permanent preservation, and shall be of the tenor and effect following, to wit:

"I do solemnly swear, in presence of Almighty God, that I will henceforth faithfully support, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Union of States thereunder, and that I will, in like manner, abide by and faithfully support all acts of Congress passed during the existing rebellion, with reference to slaves, so long and so far as not repealed and not modified or declared void by Congress or by decision of the Supreme Court, and that I will in like manner abide by and faithfully support all proclamations of this President made during the existing rebellion, having in reference to slaves, so long and so far as not modified or declared void by decision of the Supreme Court. So help me God"

The persons excempted from the benefits of the foregoing provisions are all who are, or shall have been, civil or diplomatic officers or agents of the so-called Confederate Government; all who have left judicial stations under the United States to aid the rebellion; all who are, or shall have been, military or naval officers, of the rank of Colonel in the army, or Lieutenant in the navy; all who left seats in the United States Congress to aid in the rebellion; all who resigned their commissions in the army and navy of the United States, and afterwards aided the rebellion, and all who have engaged in any way in treating colored persons, or white persons in charge of such, otherwise than lawfully as prisoners of war, and which persons may be found in the United States service as soldiers, seamen, or in any other capacity.

And I do further proclaim, declare and make known, that whenever, in any of the States of Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina and North Carolina, a number of persons, not less than one-tenth of the number of the votes cast in such State at the Presidential election of the year of our Lord 1860, each having taken the oath aforesaid, and not having since violated it, and being a qualified voter by the election law of the State, existing immediately before the so-called act of secession, and excluding all others, shall be established a State government, which shall be republican and in no wise contravening said oath. Such, shall be recognized as the true government of the State, and the State shall receive thereunder the benefits of the constitutional provision which declares that the United States shall guarantee to every State in this Union a republican form of government and shall protect each of them against invasion, and on application of the Legislature, or the Executive when the Legislature cannot be convened, against domestic violence

Second. I do further proclaim, declare and make known that any provision which may be adopted by such State Government in relation to the freed people of such State which shall recognize and declare their permanent freedom and provide for their education and which may yet be consistent as a temporary arrangement with their present condition as a laboring, landless and homeless class, will not be objected to by the National Executive and it is suggested as not improper, that in constructing a loyal State government in any State, the name of the boundary, the subdivision of the Constitution, and the Federal code of laws, as before the rebellion, be maintained subject only to modifications made necessary by the conditions hereinbefore stated, and such others if any, not contravening such conditions, may be deemed expedient by those framing the new State government.

To avoid misunderstanding, it may be proper to say that this proclamation, so far as it relates to State governments, has no reference to States wherein loyal State governments have all the while been maintained; and for the same reason it may be proper to further say that whether members sent to Congress from any State shall be admitted to seats, conventionally rests exclusively with the respective houses, and not to any extent with the Executive; and still further that this proclamation is intended to present to the people of the disloyal States wherein the National authority has been suspended, and loyal State governments have been subverted, a mode by which the National authority may be established within said States, or any of them; and while the mode presented is the best the Executive can suggest with his present impressions, it must not be understood that another possible mode would not be accepted.

Given under my hand, at the city of Washington the 8th day of December, A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-three, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Eighty-eight.

[Signed] ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

By the President
WILLIAM H. SEWARD, Secretary of State.

What the Administration Costs.

Extra session of 1861, $265,150,000, for regular session of 1861, $894,900,000, for regular session of 1862-3, $973,120,000—total; $2,133,170,000. It is now stated that the estimates for the next fiscal year are $1,200,000,000; making a grand total expenditures of this administration $3,333,170,000—over thirty-thee hundred millions. The total expenditures of the government, says The Providence Post, during the seventy-two years preceding the inauguration of Lincoln's administration was $2,235,677,161 The sum of $424,516,447, included in this account, was for the reduction of the public debt, and should be deducted in order to arrive at the actual expenditures of the government. Making this deduction we have, as the total actual expenditure, $1,811,161,714. This is what it costs us to support our government, carrying it through to foreign wars, from the day on which George Washington was inaugurated down to the day on which James Buchanan left the presidential office, a sum much smaller than has already been expended by Mr. Lincoln, and but little more than half as large as his administration will have cost us when he retires from office, on the 4th of March, 1865. These are startling figures, but they should be pondered by the American people.—*Mil. News.*

Death of Democracy from a Republican View.

The Springfield Republican, says the N. Y. World, is one of the few administration papers that is blessed with common sense. The following extract is an illustration of the truth of the remark. Since the elections it has been common for the abolition press to speak of the democratic party as dead. In commenting upon the currency given to this notion, and upon itself, the Republican says:

There is a general jubilation in the republican papers over the assumed death of the democratic party. They had better not take that for granted. A party that has just thrown more votes than ever before in every state except Massachusetts, * * * and has been beaten only by the most extraordinary efforts, can hardly be considered quite dead. * * * The moral of the political situation of the republican leaders is that they have no such excess of strength as to make it safe for them to be reckless or defiant as to means and measures; that they are still on trial before the American people as to their ability and integrity in the conduct of the government; and that they can only hope to obtain a renewed lease of power by demonstrating that they can and will use it for the general welfare, rather than for private and partisan ends.

The State Debt.

The annual report of the state treasurer Hastings, issued a few days since, gives the following statement of Wisconsin state indebtedness and times payable;

Bonds for	$250,000	payable in	1867
do	50,000	"	1868
do	100,000	"	1877
do	100,000	"	1878
do	100,000	"	1879
do	100,000	"	1880
do	100,000	"	1881
do	100,000	"	1882
do	100,000	"	1883
do	100,000	"	1884
do	100,000	"	1885
do	100,000	"	1886
do	100,000	"	1887
do	100,000	"	1888
Certificate for	160,000	"	1893
do	70,000	"	1894
			1895
Total	$1,820,000		

Multum in Parvo.

The Milwaukee News says, the case of Tim. Strong, Jr., who was "arrested as a deserter," has come out just as all those who knew Tim and the facts expected it would. He has been tried by a court martial, and not only honorably acquitted but allowed pay for the time he has been off. He is a sterling young man, and has twice enlisted as a private, the second time he was promoted to a lieutenancy.

Parasols have been invented which not only conceal a dirk knife in the handle but also a weapon that will drive a ball through an inch plank at a distance of ten rods. The steel clads are getting formidable.

Inexhaustible beds of peat have been discovered near St. Paul. This will make cheap fuel and lights when brought fully into use.

Judge Advocate Holt has decided that the President's late proclamation suspending the writ of habeas corpus, undoubtedly includes in its provision the case of a minor enlisted without the parents consent, in whose behalf therefore such writ cannot be issued.

The shot tower of McCullock & Co., at Stapleton, Staten Island, was destroyed by fire on the 5th. Loss $200;000.

A panther measuring 7 feet 6 inches from the tip of his nose to the end of his tail, and weighing nearly two hundred pounds, was recently shot in Jefferson county, Mo.

There is an apple tree in Dutchess Co., N. Y., which bears seedless apples. It never blossoms; the buds form, the fruit sets and grows to maturity. The apples resemble the Rhode Island Greening.

Two children are on exhibition at St. Johns, N. B., one a girl six years old weighing 200 pounds, the other, a boy of four years weighing 120.

The Darlington Independent, says another sign of a hard winter in addition to the many already noted, is the numerous marriage notices that appear in the country prints.

The Cedar Valley Railroad, Minnesota, is progressing rapidly. The grading is nearly finished from Mendota to Northfield, and a large force is employed between Northfield and Faribault. The stone piers for the bridge at the mouth of the Minnesota river are built above the water. A large force is engaged for the winter in a heavy rock work near Mendota.

The La Crosse Democrat states that a few days since a lady in that city whose husband was intent upon going to the German Theatre and dance, gave him a dose of Morphine, supposing that a little would make him drowsy and keep him at home. By some means she gave him too much, and he expired from the effects of the dose.

Blondin, the rope dancer has gone into the wine business. Diminution of salary for his professional services probably suggested the change.

Robert Heller, the celebrated pianist and magician, expired a few days since at Alexandria, in the District of Columbia, from the effects of a wound received in an accident on the Baltimore and Washington Railroad.

Two bad things have happened in Egypt—£12,000,000 of cattle have been carried off by disease, and old Father Nile has risen upon $1,000,000 worth of other property.

We owe Horace Walpole's delightful letters, in the main, to his correspondence with Sir Horace Mann, to whom, writing August 25, 1784, he says: "I have been counting how many letters I have written to you since I landed in England, in 1741; they amount—astonishing!—to about eight hundred; and we have not yet met in three and forty years! A correspondence of near half a century is, I suppose, not to be paralleled in the annals of the Postoffice."

It is estimated that the conscription will take from Fond du Lac county about one hundred and fifty, thousand dollars in greenbacks, a few dozen substitutes and a very few drafted men.

Letters have been received from Hon. Edman Rice, president of the Pacific railroad company, stating that arrangements had been made with the Northwestern railroad company to build the railroad direct from Wisconsin to St. Paul, to connect with the Pacific railroad.

EDWARD B. KEOGH, Esq., has commenced a suit against the proprietor of The Daily Wisconsin for libel. We understand that Messrs. Ryan and Hofer are engaged for the prosecution and M. H. Carpenter, Esq., for the defence. Damages laid at $10,000.—*Mil. News*

The number of books printed since the invention of the art in 1440 to the end of the year 1822 was estimated by Piegnot at 3,681,960; and counting an average of three volumes to each book, and 300 copies to each edition, the aggregate of printed volumes was estimated by him to be 3,315,764,000.

John Dempster, D. D., President of the Garrett Biblical Institute, at Evanston, Illinois, died in Chicago last Monday. Although he had been in infirm health for some time, the announcement of his death will be very unexpected to the public generally.

The Crescent.

Official Paper of the City and County

APPLETON, DEC 19

The President's Message.

Together with his last will and testament for the benefit of Sambo, will be found on our first page As political documents, looking to the welfare of the Republican party, and as trump cards for Mr Abe's renomination, they are unsurpassed. As the emanations of a Statesman, looking alone to the welfare of the Government, and as a solution of the great problem of the Rebellion, they are weak, nonsensical, and meaningless W are in favor of amnesty and pardon to the classes specified in the Proclamation, on condition of those classes returning to their allegiance to the constituted authorities and subscribing to an oath to support and defend the Constitution of the U S now and hereafter But this saddling on the "Almighty Nigger," crowding down the throats of Southerners (both Union and Rebel) a draught as distasteful to them as pork to the Jews or asafœtida to Gentiles, is simply a ridiculous farce—adding insult to injury—and will fail to do other than exasperate and make them more desperate for the triumph of their cause If the rebels ever do accept pardon under that measure, it will be only because they are compelled thus to do, and their conversion under such circumstances will merely be the temporary smothering of a terrible volcano But we can expect just such Statesmanship from a President who lies under the hounding incubus of red-mouthed fanaticism—who lives and moves only at the pleasure of his keepers Such a Proclamation, if issued by any but a modern Republican President, would have been sufficient evidence to warrant a charge of mental insanity against its author. Another thing: It proves beyond a doubt that the abolition of slavery first and the salvation of our Country second, is and has been the aim of the present Administration

A MODEST REQUEST'—The rarest specimen of Editorial coolness we have ever witnessed emanated from the Milwaukee Wisconsin last week, as follows: That sheet sent us their annual prospectus requesting us to publish the same three weeks, pay them $3 in money, and we might have their daily in "exchange'! Such evidence of constitutional meanness—such an unprofessional exhibition of dirtiness—such a petty craving for the "almighty dollar"—we have never heard of before We are willing to give an adequate return for the difference in the price of our paper and the city dailies, but as for being compelled to "fork over" twice for the same article, we "can't see it"! Such a low-lived trick is worthy an Abolition sheet of the Wisconsin stripe, but, thank God, there are other journals in the "City of Bricks" abler and more honorable than Grandmother Cramer's seven-by-nine scandal monger

THE DANE COUNTY FARMERS have recently set a noble example to their colaborers throughout the State, by generally contributing over $1,000 in money, wood and provisions in aid of Soldiers' Families So says the Madison Journal Cannot Outagamie Farmers do likewise?

THE REBEL AUTHORITIES have given our authorities notice that they will not receive any more supplies for our prisoners at Richmond, claiming as a reason therefor what they alleged to be an imputation upon their honor by our authorities, that they were not delivering the goods forwarded

A DECISION has been rendered by the Illinois Supreme Court sustaining the proroguing of the Legislature by Gov. Yates.

Our Literary Table.

THE N. Y HOME JOURNAL, Morris & Willis, Publishers, is rightly named for a more welcome fireside companion' cannot be found in the Literary World We have long had the inestimable privilege of drinking sweets from that inexhaustible well-spring, and have no hesitancy in recommending it to our readers. See annual prospectus

HARPER'S WEEKLY continues to increase in value and popularity as time moves onward, until it now ranks first among the Illustrated Weeklies of the world No better pictorial history of the war can be found—no better literature or novelettes can be produced See prospectus and then subscribe.

ARTHUR'S HOME MAGAZINE.—T S Arthur, Publisher,—everybody knows Arthur, the charming Story-Teller,—for January has already come to our board, teeming with a "feast of reason and flow of soul." Terms $2 a year Philadelphia, Pa

THE LITTLE PILGRIM, Grace Greenwood's sweet little Monthly has dispelled gloom from many a family hearthstone throughout our land in times past. Every father who values the moral welfare of his children, should have this ministering angel in his home Address Leander K Lippincott, 319 Walnut St, Philad, Pa Fifty cents a year

THE N Y WORLD is now the ablest of the many papers in our National Metropolis Its Correspondence ramifies all departments and hails from every section Its Commercial, Financial, and Agricultural departments have never been surpassed Its corps of writers combine the ablest talent Daily, Semi-Weekly and Weekly

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THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY—the Monitor in the Magazine Navy—announces a brilliant list of contributors for the coming year. As a political periodical, it is not to our thinking, but as a thought generator, it has no superior in the Union $3 a year Boston

Congressional.

Lane, of Ind, introduced a bill to amend the enrollment act so as to strike out the $300 commutation, and to increase the pay of the rank and file of the army, of which he had given previous notice

Elliott introduced a bill to establish a Bureau on Emancipation

Davis introduced a bill providing for the election of representatives from the States of Tennessee and Alabama

Stevens introduced a bill granting public lands in aid of the People's Pacific Railroad Company by the northern route

He also introduced a bill to fix the pay of colored chaplains and mustering officers

Stevens introduced a bill to fix the time for holding elections for representatives to Congress, and to enable the soldiers to vote for State officers

Many other bills were introduced and referred, including a bill enabling Colorado and Nebraska to form State governments and provide for their admission into the Union, also a bill providing a temporary government for the territory of Montario Also a bill providing for recruiting negroes in insurrectionary districts

Ieaman introduced a bill for the restoration of civil authority in such States as are not under the control of of the rebellion

Several bills were introduced and referred to the committee on Judiciary to repeal the fugitive slave law, and to amend the Constitution so as to abolish slavery in all the States

Lovejoy introduced a bill providing that all persons held to slavery in States and Territories shall be declared free All persons so declared free shall be protected the same as white men now are by the constitution Any one seizing such freed persons to reduce him to slavery shall be declared guilty of a high misdemeanor, and on conviction punished Also a bill to protect freedmen and to provide for punishing those who attempt to enslave them

Arnold introduced a bill to aid the President in carrying into immediate execution the Emancipation Proclamation of January 1, 1863, and prohibiting the re-enslavement of persons designated therein

Washburne, introduced a bill revising the grade of Lieutenant General, and authorizing the President to confer it on any officer not below the grade of Major General, who has distinguished himself by courage, skill, &c

F Wood submitted the following resolution

WHEREAS, The President in his message delivered in this House on the 9th, inst., and in his recommendation to the people to assemble at their places of worship to give thanks to God for the recent victories, claims that the Union cause has gained important and substantial advantages, and

WHEREAS, In view of these triumphs it is no longer beneath our dignity or dangerous to our safety to evince a generous magnanimity of great and powerful people by offering to the insurgents an opportunity to return to the Union without imposing upon them degrading or destructive conditions, therefore

Resolved, That the President be requested to appoint a Commissioner who shall be empowered to open negotiations with the authorities at Richmond to the end that this bloody, destructive and inhuman war shall cease, and the Union be restored upon terms of equity, fraternity and equality under the Constitution

Washburn of Ill, moved to lay the resolution on the table Agreed to—yeas 98, nays 59

On motion of Cravens a resolution was adopted instructing the Committee of Military Affairs to inquire into the expediency of providing for the payment of losses of property taken or destroyed during Morgan's raid in Ohio and Indiana.

On motion of Cox, of Ohio, the following resolution, introduced by him, was adopted.

Resolved, That the secretary of war be directed to communicate to this house the report made by Maj Gen McClellan concerning the organization and operations of the army of the Potomac, while under his command, and of all army operations while he was commander-in-chief

Profitable Investments.

The Philadelphia *North American* gives some excellent advice to those who wish to invest money It is well for all who are in funds to heed the counsel —"Though money has been temporarily scarce, capital continues abundant, and the recent tumble in the stock market has brought capitalists to a realizing sense of the unreliable character of many of the securities dealt in. It is greatly to the credit of the Government that its loans, of all the securities daily dealt in on the market, have maintained their integrity of price better than almost anything else Its Five-Twenty year six per cent loan, the interest on which is promptly paid in gold, has been subscribed to, all through the pressure in the money market, at an average of more than two millions per day And what is not the least gratifying fact in connection with the daily large subscription is to this popular loan, scarcely any of it is returned to the market for sale It is taken for investment and is held with unfaltering confidence in its reliability And why should it not be? It is seen that the Government now, after two years of the most gigantic war that the world has ever known, experience no difficulty in commanding the necessary means to prosecute it, or in paying regularly the interest in gold as it falls due If this can be done while the war is being waged, who can anticipate any difficulty in readily accomplishing it when the war shall be ended? What better investment then, for capital, than the "Five Twenty" Government loan? But if any doubt, let him refer to the statistics furnished by the census tables of the various nations of the world The facts which they present will prove the most satisfactory mode of dispelling the numberless gloomy apprehensions which are being continually conjured up by those who are disposed to exaggerate the extent of the calamity occasioned by our rebellion A reference to the state of most of the prosperous nations of the old world clearly disproves such a position, and shows that the highest conditions of national advancement have not been materially affected by the extended wars in which those nations have been immemorially engaged, and that a heavy national indebtedness has not proved an unmitigated evil

"For instance, Great Britain, France and the Netherlands will undoubtedly be conceded to represent the highest prosperity that has been attained by any of the European nations And yet no nations have been called upon to endure fiercer or more prolonged wars, domestic and foreign than they The effect has been, unquestionably, to incur an enormous national indebtedness but neither their wars nor their indebtedness have had the effect to destroy their elasticity, nor to check the progress of their general prosperity The result would have been different, probably, if these nations had been falling into decay, instead of being as, they really were, in a state of development, and in this respect their case resembles our own with enormous advantages in our favor These nations, while undergoing the trials of war, were oppressed by the evils of an immense exodus of their people, caused by the density of their population, the impossibility to provide occupation, for them, the low price of labor, and the scarcity of territory Compared with our own country, they possessed slight room for future development, they were settled in every part, and no vast territory lay invitingly open to encourage enterprise and settlement Their great problem has ever been what to do with their surplus population, which, in its turn, has sought new fields for adventure and self support in countries like our own, where an illimitable territory waits to be developed, and where incalculable resources invite industry and energy The encouragement to be derived from these facts and comparisons of circumstances is very great, and to the mind of any dispassionate reasoner is conclusive that the course of this great country is onward and upward, and that its credit will live unimpaired to the end"

See advertisement.

An Important Order.

The following Circular was issued by Provost Marshal Genl Lovell of Wis on the 10th

LODGE'S WIS Dec 10 1863

I Recruiting officers will put on the back & each enlistment in each the town (or ward, if it is a sub district) the recruit is to be credited to in the next draft This is necessary as some towns are offering additional bounties to recruits that should receive credit for men furnished

II Recruiting officers will in no instance enlist man that have been drafted Men so enlisted will be arrested and punished as deserters

CHARLES LOVELL Lt Col 18th Inf'y,
Supt Vol Rec'g Service

War News.

OMAHA CITY Neb Dec. 12—Prof Hope geologist accompanying the survey of the Union Pacific Railroad reports easy grades through Cheyenne Pass, and abundant coal and iron ore on the eastern slope of the Black Hills 600 miles due west of here

NEW YORK, Dec 11—By arrival from Fort Royal we learn of the loss of the Monitor Weehawken which sunk at anchor inside of Charleston bar on Sunday last She lies in five fathoms of water, but is expected to be raised A fair sea gale prevailed at the time The loss is said to be from neglect and bad management. Four engineers and 20 of the crew were drowned The situation before Charleston is unchanged

WASHINGTON Dec. 11th—The army of the Potomac will be immediately reorganized, and made larger and better in every way than it has been at any former period Its chief command will probably be tendered to either Hooker or Thomas

NEW YORK, Dec 11—The losses by the fire among the shipping on the North River, on Thursday night now foot up over $350 000 with insurance of $250 000, nearly all in city companies The damage to the piers is about $75 000 Thirty four vessel and barges in all with their cargoes consisting for the most part in hay and grain intended for government use, were destroyed

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12—A special to the Commercial from Chattanooga says three regiments were out on reconnoissance from the Chickamauga, on the 10th accompanied by Grant and Thomas The sides of trees receiving our fire were filled with balls, while the opposite sides, receiving the enemy's fire had very few bullets—showing our fire to be a sure one The graves of a number of officers were found, and the bodies of other officers were found unburied An expedition goes out to-morrow to bury the dead. The Kelly House in which our wounded were left on the retreat, was burned. Gen' Palmer's resignation, (tendered on account of private business,) has been rejected A correspondent from Knoxville gives our total loss during the siege is 1000 Rebel loss will reach 5000

WASHINGTON Dec 11—The agricultural report of the present month shows a deficiency in the corn crop of 149 000 000 bushels, as the government demands are such that to ensure the supply it is estimated that all distillation of grain will be restricted in Ohio and Illinois, as is the case in Ky and Tenn

NEW YORK Dec 11—Frauds in the Quartermaster's Department at Alexandria will foot up millions and have been in progress for seven months Other arrests are to be made Last night, about 5000 horses stampeded from the camp at Strasburg An attempt was made to stop them while passing over the bridge communicating with Washington but did not succeed and many were drowned

ALBANY Dec 11—The election for Directors of the Central Railroad resulted in the triumph of the former board The Directors then elected Erastus Corning as President and Dean Richmond as Vice President

CAIRO Dec. 12.—Late accounts from below represent Marmaduke as endeavoring to unite his force with Price who was said to be crossing Red river into Texas Price's forces are much reduced and number less than 5000 A large federal force was pursuing them The rebels are much disheartened

BOSTON Dec. 15—A New Orleans correspondent says that Gen Banks's Texas expedition is a glorious success The Union men are rallying under the standard of Gen Banks in large numbers All the Texans required was a force to back them up and they repeatedly said that if a sufficient army was sent to them they would soon have Texas all right again

Advices from Europe are to the 29th ult The rebel steamers Rappahannock and Georgia had arrived at French ports The former was seized by the custom authorities but was subsequently released She was formerly a British war vessel, and had been purchased by the rebels with three others which were fitting out in the Thames

More in intelligence is to the 27th ult Gen Comonfort had been killed in a fight with his own countrymen The French army was making considerable progress Juarez's government is powerless, anarchy reigns up within his nominal jurisdiction

The Missouri rebels are making another pressure on the President for the removal of Schofield

A recent arrival at Pembina brings news that 2 000 Sioux warriors are now assembled near Turtle mountain and that a chief from them is approaching

The Richmond Examiner says that prisoners are furnished with a ration of five ounces of meat and one pint of meal per day, which the rebels in the field are only receiving one quarter

Gov Yates informs us that some 12 000 deserters from our army are in Canada and that most of them are in destitution It is thought a greater portion will rejoin their regiments rather than run the risk of arrest and sentence to be shot on being caught again

Inspector Stone on Thursday week, as paymaster of the N M Railroad, warrants to the amount of $25 000 An order has recently been committed in that city involving nearly $300 000 in Treasury Notes but the particulars are kept secret

Cairo, Dec 7 —Corporal Wm Wilkins furnishes the following particulars of the late fight near LaGrange He reports that Chalmers entered Salisbury on Wednesday last, having under him from 3,000 to 4,000 men They tore up the railroad track for about a mile, on the Memphis & Charleston road, burned a quantity of cotton, two or three cars, and fired upon a train coming west from Corinth, having on board thirty-five rebel prisoners The latter called out to the confederates to come on, thinking they would escape by their aid, but the train passed on its course and backed out just clear of their range, and avoided injury

On Thursday the rebels, under Chalmers and Forrest, made three desperate charges on Wolf River bridge, defended by Col Hatch's cavalry division The rebels were finally repulsed Col Hatch was in the thickest of the fight during the charges, and was shot through the right lung One rebel Colonel is said to have been killed The rebels afterwards burned a small place further west and then retreated to Brownsville, with Col Misner and his brigade of cavalry after them

Cumberland Gap, Dec 11 —Col Garrard's cavalry brigade whipped Sam Jones rebel brigade yesterday, at Morristown The intelligence has just been received from Gen Wilcox The losses are not given

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JAY COOK, *Subscription Agent*
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HENRY SCHUMAKER
Buchanan Dec 15, 1863 (26-w1)

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For further information

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Appleton Apr 1st 1863 3m3

Ordinance No. 1.

The Board of Supervisors of Outagamie county do ordain as follows

Section 1 That S S Whitman Andrew Rhoades and William Bogan are hereby appointed commissioners for the County of Outagamie to meet at the Village of Kaukauna in said county on the 4th day of January A D 1864 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon and then and there to view the following described land lying and being in said county to wit The south half of the n w ¼ and the n w ¼ of the n e ¼ of section number 9 in township number 21 north of range number 18 east, and the n ½ of the n e ¼ of section number 29 in township number 21 north of range number 19 east The terms of said sale will be cash as the law of said

Dated this 8th day of December, 1863

T R HODD *Atty* JOHN VERSTEGEN, *Guardian*
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JUST RECEIVED,

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C. J. PETTIBONE.

Appleton Nov 7 1863

Our Woodland Home.

☞ A MERRY CHRISTMAS to one and all of our numerous readers! May the white messenger of peace rest upon our Nation ere another Christmas Anniversary makes its round. May prosperity and happiness serenly rest around your hearthstones, dear readers May the yule-log sparkle brighter than ever, and may your larders be filled with plenty! God grant you health and strength Once more a Merry, Merry Christmas!

☞ A PUBLIC BENEFACTOR.—Rev Reeder Smith turned out his horses and snow-plow on Friday morning, after the storm had cleared away, and cleared the sidewalks throughout the greater portion of the city—all at his own expense Every winter, since we have been in Appleton, Mr. Smith has conferred a similar benefit upon the people of this burg, and we accord to him a unanimous vote of thanks therefor.

☞ DANCING PARTIES.—At the Wolf River House, New London, on Christmas Night At the New London House, (same town,) on New Year's Night. Both promise to be all that could be desired.

☞ NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—First comes Smith's Bookstore with its many attractions; then the 5-20 U S Bonds in all their wealth and ponderosity, next somebody's cattle are *corralled* and awaiting an owner, then a sett of drag-teeth have been *dragged* in *durance*, then the Arctic and Manhattan Insurance Co's claim a share of attention Other interesting notices crowd our columns almost to suffocation

☞ THE WEATHER.—The most common topic for everybody—Editors not excepted, when locals are dull—is the weather. Well, it has indeed been worthy of comment during the greater portion of this week It has been on a big *blow*—a perfect gale—blowing big guns and columbiads It has snowed until it is almost "tired out," burying shrubs, plants, woodpiles and fences, beneath its fleecy robes The streets and sidewalks are nearly blockaded—ears behind time—lumbermen and merchants jubilant Such a snow storm we have seldom witnessed, even in Northern Wisconsin, and can only surmise an explanation as follows The issuing of the last proclamation of Old Abe, or the absence from town of our Senior Editor—both important and unparalleled events! At any rate, business will come with the white-winged messenger

☞ Lee, who presides with dignity over the City News Depot, has ordered the most superb stock of Christmas and New Year's Gifts, ever brought to this Market "Enough for all, enough for each, enough for evermore" Call around at the News Depot

☞ Should we have a *quantum sufficit* of snow this Winter, we predict that more logs, lumber, timber, shingles and wood will be gotten out, than in any previous season The various timber and log contractors are in many instances already on the grounds, while numerous others are ready to "march" immediately

P S—The snow has come!

☞ PERSONAL.—Lieut. S. Curtis Mower (formerly a student of Lawrence University), of the 4th Wis Cavalry (formerly 4th Vols.), has been spending a portion of his furlough with friends here. He has been absent from the State about two years and a half, and returns in all the ruddyness of perfect health.

Capt. and Acting Major Henry Turner, of the 21st Reg't, returned home to this place on Saturday night last. He is conceded to be one of the best officers in the reg't, the gallant 21st

"We give thee a merry greeting,"
Hank

Capt. Wood returned from Madison, on Monday, whither he had been to have his newly recruited boys mustered into service regularly He enlisted six men on the same day he returned, who were waiting for an opportunity to join Uncle Sam's forces

Serg't W T Coffen (formerly of this city—now of Oshkosh), of the 21st Reg't, made us a flying visit on Monday. He is on recruiting service

J. F Johnston, Sutler of the 21st Reg't, arrived at his home in this city on Friday evening of last week

J E Harriman has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to appear once more upon our streets.

☞ It is not often that we come in contact with an article that we feel justified in recommending to our numerous readers, but the article of Family Dye Colors, manufactured by Howe & Stevens, advertised in this day's paper, we feel we can heartily commend to all who may have use for dyes of any colors. For sale by all druggists.

☞ The following is the programme for Christmas Eve at the M. E. Church. 1st. An Address by Rev. S Fallows, 2d Christmas Tableaux, 3d An Illumination; 4th distribution of Presents A rich entertainment will thus be given

☞ CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES.—"Christmas Trees" will be exhibited as follows in this city On Christmas Eve at Congregational and M. E Churches, on Christmas Night, the Episcopalians at Adkins' Hall, and the Odd Fellows at their Hall—the latter private to members of this Lodge and their families On Christmas Eve, Rev Father Dael will celebrate High Mass at the Catholic Church in this city, commencing at 11 30 P M. We do not learn whether services will be held in any of the Churches on that day Neither have we been informed whether the Baptist Church intends celebrating this Holiday

☞ Remember the Soldier's Wife and little ones on Christmas When Papa was home they *had* a Christmas which made glad the hearts of the family circle The yule-log burned brightly, then, the turkey was not lacking at noon, the stockings by the chimney corner were not neglected the tokens of love and affection were always forthcoming But papa is now far away on the tented field, nobly stemming the traitorous tide that would sweep away our altars and firesides Shall these Soldiers' Families not be remembered *substantially* on Christmas? Fill your baskets from your bountiful supply and take them to the Soldiers' Homes

Agricultural Meeting

The annual (adjourned) meeting of the Outagamie Agricultural Society will be held at the Court House in the City of Appleton on Saturday the 24 day of January next *provided that the members don't all stay away!* B DOUGLAS Sec'y

Appleton, Dec 18 1863

☞ TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—Notice is hereby given to all persons having unsettled business with the undersigned, that they MUST come forward and adjust the same previous to the 1st of January P WHITE

Appleton, Nov 28, 1863

☞ Strong, in the P O, is building up a very comfortable business in his variety store He keeps a good quality of stationery and confectionery, and excellent cigars and other goods He is also Agt for the Phœnix and Hartford Insurance Co's

☞ [illegible] to the meeting of the Outagamie Co Agl Society was erroneous as to the time of meeting It should have been Jan'y 2d proximo

☞ STRAYED OR STOLEN.—Left the sacred precincts of the Crescent Office, on Tuesday last, ye Senior Editor hereof He had on brain new pants and vest—cloth from our Woolen Mill, coat would not bear a close inspection, cap—a bully fur one from C J Pettibone's, paid for, and carried an African-colored satchel He is about five feet six in boots and looks like a "copperhead" He informed a friend that he was on a pilgrimage to N Y City *via* Pittsburg, but we rather imagine he will "bring up" in Canada about *Jan 5th*, inasmuch as he has been seen of late in close conversation with certain prominent "Union Leaguers" Anyone trusting or harboring said Editor on our account, will send their bills to Windsor, C W, care of C L V or the same will be repudiated from "military necessity"

☞ Fraser, at the R R Billiard Saloon always keeps the best Oysters in town

☞ Green Wood is selling in our streets for $1 75 @ $2 00 per cord This is pretty steep agony in a wooden country Speaking of wood, there are several evils connected with the sale thereof that should have claimed public attention long ere this 1st selling 8 ft. long, 4 ft high and 3 ft wide for a cord, is of common practice among certain farmers calling themselves honest 2d. Selling "jags" or small loads of soft, soggy or wet wood, at a stipulated price by setting forth a larger amount than actual measurement would give 3d Bringing limbs to market and keeping body wood for home use. We are liable to suffer a wood monopoly or speculation most any day, unless some of the most important of these swindling operations are remedied. In order to correct these growing evils our City Council should create the office and appoint a City Wood Inspector, and that without delay We are willing to pay full value for everything the farmer has on sale, but we will not consent to be mulcted by outrageous swindling

☞ A Juvenile Soldiers' Aid Society has been organized in this city, and on Saturday Evening propose to hold a gathering in Adkins' Building for the benefit of a returned and maimed Soldier Let everybody respond with their substance.

☞ FAIR WARNING!—Old Time is rapidly nearing another milestone—soon another year will be added to his laurels Have we done our whole duty this year? have we been honest in our callings and pledges? have we wiped from our conscience-slate every obligation? Our ledger and day-book criminates a host of delinquents—men who promised to "square the score next week" nearly three years ago! Some of them are sleeping in Southern graves, having nobly fallen for Country—we forgive the debt they owed us, others have dropt by the wayside here at home—we've cancelled their debt to us But beyond these stand a solid column of sturdy and well-to-do debtors who, though oft called, come not To be brief, then: Editors are human and must eat, drink and be clothed like other mortals Papers are not printed without cost Hard work of mind or body begets gray hairs Therefore, be it ordained, by Ryan & Bro, Pubs of Crescent, that unless every man, who owes the said party of the first part, squares the same on or before the 1st day of January, A D 1864, he or they, the said debtors, will be compelled to settle the same in a Court of Justice *We shall get our dues if every debtor becomes our life long enemy!* REMEMBER THIS IS POSITIVE!!

☞ Nick Pauley has opened a general variety store in Smith's Block, 1st door east of the tin shop

H Van Rooy has started a saloon on the corner above Darling & Gilmore's

☞ Snow has come at last, and with it, of course, the music of merry sleigh bells Hank Turner's Livery Stable, with Lyon as Prime Minister and Ed as Cabinet, can furnish you and your "angel dove" with the merest and most *convenient* rig extant That's the way we found a wife! Try it

☞ JUST AS WE EXPECTED!—That prince of book-men, Mr G M Smith, is on hand for the Holidays with the largest and most unique variety of Gifts, Toys, and Fancy Articles, ever presented to the denizens of Northern Wisconsin We know whereof we affirm in this matter He has a panacea for all conditions and classes—a balm for every aching heart The Maiden's blush can be easily turned into smiles of affection, by a rich gift from Smith's Cornucopia of good things, the aged [illegible] have their remaining years cheered with sunshine, by a call at Smith's, and prattling childhood can revel in rich delights beyond description at the same Emporium See announcement in another column

☞ A NEW SETTLER.—Messrs F & C Pfennig's new addition to their Grist Mill (built about a year since) in the 3d ward, settled *fifteen inches* last week, without causing any material damage—not even sufficient to stop the "running gear"! About ten thousand bushels of grain were stored therein, which was "too heavy a burden to bear"

☞ STILL ANOTHER.—Mr Wm Johnson, our worthy Mayor, has sold his interest (one half) in the Lawrence Grist Mill for $5,000 Mr Chas Mory (who owns the other half) is the purchaser This is pretty well up in price in a land teeming with Water Power, timber and stone

☞ UNDER PRICE.—One of the best selected stock of goods ever brought into this section of the country is that which has just been received by Peter White To the following list of articles he would respectfully call the attention of the Ladies of Appleton and vicinity

DRESS GOODS English and French Merinoes, Ottomen Cloths, Empress Cloths, Alpaccas—different colors Delaines, All Wool Delaines, Black and White Check Worsted Goods, Satin Delaine, Black Silks, Mourent Crape, Paremettoes, Plaid Goods of many different styles, &c &c

SHAWLS of all styles and prices

FURS Fur Collars, Capes, Victorines, Muffs and Cuffs

HOOP SKIRTS Twenty different varieties of Bradley's justly celebrated Hoop Skirts for Ladies, Misses and Children

BALMORAL SKIRTS Ladies and Misses sizes,—the largest variety, best and cheapest ever brought to this market

HOISERY of every desirable style, comprising Ladies, Misses and Childrens Balmoral Stockings

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SHOES. Kid, Goat, Cloth and Calf Balmoral's. Serge and Congress Gaiters Ladies Skating Shoes, &c. &c

WORSTED GOODS Hoods Sontags, Nubias, Alexandras, Garibaldies Undersleeves, Ladies and Childrens Leggins, Wristlets, Scarfs, Childrens Basques Mittens &c

DRESS TRIMMINGS: Silk Gimp, Bugle Bead and Fluted Ribbon

VAILS Love, Grenadine, Beilage and Mourning Vails

COFFIES, of all the latest styles

NETS Invisibles, Steel Bead, White and Glass Beads, Silk Cord and Chenile

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Pallid Countenance	

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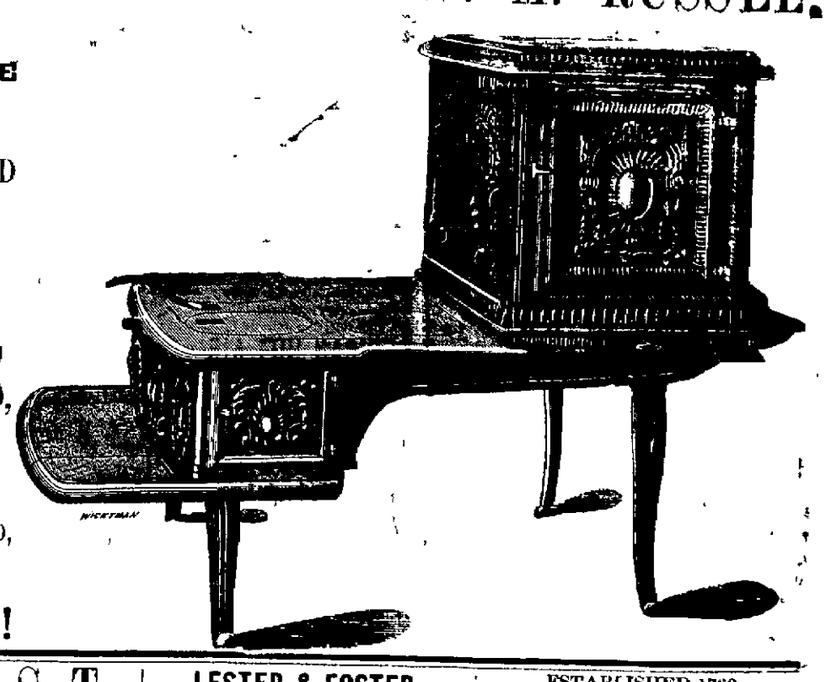

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Appleton Nov 20, 1863 22yr11

OUTAGAMIE COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

Andrew C Black, Plaintiff against Solomon Sturges, Luther D Peaslee John C Lewis, Thomas F Vining, M T Sanders, William G Hickman Israel F Gibson, Dennis Lutkie Mary K Dervidih Lavinia Scott, Edward Meade, Hiram Wilcox, William Broker and the unknown owners of the Following described real estate situated in Outagamie county, to wit Lot No 9, Sec 7 Town 24 Range 17 sw¼ of nw¼ of Sec. 20 Town 24 Range 17 se¼ Fee¼ of Sec 24, Town 23, Range 17, ne¼ of nw¼ of Sec 26, Town 24, Range 17, undivided ⅔ of Lot 6 Sec 29, Town 21 Range 18 nw¼ of ne¼ of Sec 18 Town 21, Range 19, and north 20 acres of 8½ of sw¼ of Sec. 32 Town 21, Range 19, Defendants

U S Int. revenue stamp 50 cents cancelled.

The State of Wisconsin to the above named defendants You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action which is filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court and to serve a copy of your answer to said complaint on the subscriber, at his office in the city of Appleton, Outagamie County, Wisconsin within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint

Witness the Hon Edwin Wheeler, Judge of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Wisconsin, at Appleton, this 20th day of November, 1863

23-w6 W S WARNER, Pl'ffs Att'y

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Appleton April, 1863 1ly

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The Crescent.

Official Paper of the City and County.

APPLETON, DEC. 19.

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Paid by Gov. Randall	$198,287 26
" " Paymaster Mills	779,508 21
Amounts and appropriations audited	230,085 08
Printing and publishing	21,884 99
Clerk hire at Madison	14,296 98

The above does not include an item of $901,078 89 paid to "Volunteers and volunteer aid."

Of course this debt is to be paid, interest and principal. Doubtless the loyal and patriotic residents of Rock and Walworth counties, who so ardently admire republican state administrations and are traditionally committed to the interests of the negro, will pay their proportion with surprising cheerfulness and alacrity—*Mil. News.*

THE PHŒNIX OUTDONE.—A paragraph has been going the rounds of the press in which an account is given of a horse having a new hoof grown on the use of a certain farrier's ointment. Now this reminds us of an incident that hapened in Lyons, Wisconsin. A Mormon priest named Nichols professed a power of doing miraculous things and compounding wonderful medicines. He made a nerve and bone all-healing salve, and tho't he would experiment a little upon it. He first cut off his dog's tail and applied some of the salve to the stump. A new tail grew out immediately. He then applied some to the piece of tail which he cut off, and a new dog grew out. This may seem a tough story, but we have Nichols' word for it, and we don't think he would lie.

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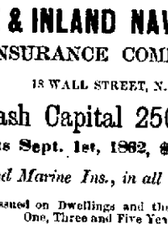

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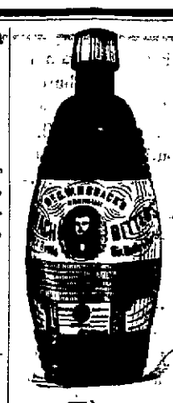

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